PRAYER REQUESTS

If you have a prayer request you would like included in the prayers during worship, there is a special prayer table set up in the back of the sanctuary for receiving written requests before the service begins.

The Worship of God

Prelude

*Welcome and Announcements

*Hymn "Praise the Lord, His Glories Show" # 4 Psalm Psalm 119: 81-88 (NIV)

Prayer of Adoration

*Songs of Praise, Grace & Love "The Trees of the Field"

"In Moments Like These"

"You Are My King"

*Greeting One Another (Please greet those immediately around you.) "Bagatelle in G" N. Faber

Special Music

Piano Soloist: Lydia Raim

Praver for Illumination

Old Testament Lesson Ecclesiastes 5: 1-7 (NIV) Gospel Reading Luke 9:57-62 (MSG)

New Testament Lesson Ephesians 5: 15-20 (NIV)

Meditation Song "Lead Us" Sermon

"Intentional Living" Teaching by David Raim

Offering Our Gifts and Ourselves To God

Song For Sharing "O Jesus, I Have Promised" #307

(to the tune of # 2 in the hymnal) *Doxology

*The Peace Of Christ

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Agape Time

Prayers of Thanksgiving and The Lord's Prayer

*A Song For Serving "Days of Elijah"

*The Sending and Benediction

Congregational Benediction "Jesus Is The Rock"

Postlude

*Those who are able may stand

ALL FIRST TIME VISITORS! YOU ARE OUR GUESTS!

God loves a cheerful giver, but as our guest you are not obligated to give to the offering.

All worship expressions are welcome here!

Raise or clap your hands in praise, dance, shout "Amen," or humbly meditate in subdued reflection.

The service is over an hour, so please sit or stand as needed.

AAA SONG SHEETS (WITH THE WORDS TO SONGS) FOR THIS SERVICE ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE USHERS. JJJ

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VISION IN FOCUS

(Or What In Hus Is Going On?)

- Painting has begun in Imagination Island. Check out the awesome iob Michele did painting in Scripture Safari.
- The Shepherding Ministry has started. See the July newsletter for more details.
- Preparations for fall Alpha Course are in progress.
- The theater seats in "Movies on the Mount" have been installed and the room is nearing completion.
- We continue to sponsor a Christian music countdown on Sunday's from 9 - 11 AM on Mix 96.5 FM.
- Connecting with neighborhood happening through the South West Area Neighbors organization.
- Opportunities are opening for reaching Kirkwood College students and the Kirkwood area.
- See the Youth and Family Life News for more.

Don't miss out! Be a part of what God is doing. For ideas on where you can be involved, pick up a Hus Church Ministry Guide and find your place of service!

Adult Sunday School

The adult Sunday school class will be studying the book "Praving the Names of God, A Daily Guide" by Ann Spangler beginning on September 10th. If you are interested in being a part of this class please let Judy McLaskey or the church office know by August 27th so the books can be ordered and be here in time for the beginning of the class.

REMEMBER THAT PASTOR JACKSON IS ON LEAVE FOR THE SUMMER.

A summer pastoral team has been formed to cover worship and pastoral visits while Will is gone.

Terry Van Wyk, Coulter Page, Doug Page, David Raim, Judy McLaskey, Marcia Funcke, and Bonnie Tichy will be responsible for worship, while Jean White and Dolores Miessner will cover Hospital and emergency visits.

Other ministers will be available for any situations that require ordained

Doug Page will be functioning as the acting head of staff for the summer.

Pastor Jackson will be using this time to visit friends and study in Croatia, do continuing education, hike the Grand Canvon, catch up on house repairs. spend time with family, and seek God's guidance in prayer.

Everyone in the congregation is invited by Pastor Will to use this summer as a time to seek the Spirit's guidance through prayer and studying God's Word.

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★Transportation for August★

Contact Diane Van Wyk at 654-8709 (Please call her before Sunday)

Birthdays

August 24th Becki Stevens

August 27th Lois Wegner & Ashley McDill

Anniversaries Years Years August 21st M/M Truman Wilkin 41

+ + + Ongoing Prayers + + +

-Karen Zenzen (Woody Kucera's daughter), Cindy Lightfoot (Margaret Feiereisen's daughter), Margaret Klopp, Jim Cross, Ruby Klein, Roy Baker, Joe Cerveny, Mac McLaskey and Regan Harper



Next Sunday's worship will be held at Jones Park View Pavilion and begins at 10:00 AM. There will be a potluck picnic following the service. Please bring a dish to share, table service and lawn chairs. Beverages will be provided.

YOUTH AND FAMILY LIFE NEWS

- **♦ Youth Group:** Youth Group this week at 5:45 PM.
- **℃ Confirmation:** Begins Sunday September 17th. More information is being sent to parents this week.
- **See You At The Pole™** is Wednesday September 27, 2006. In a world of chaos, clutter, and endless activity, God is calling for us to PAUSE...and listen to Him. Psalm 46:10 says, "Be still and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations."
- ♣ Operation Christmas Child is underway. Please see Terry or Lisa if you have any questions.
- "The Don't Conform Tour" with Barlow Girl, Matthew West, and Downhere is coming to Eastern Iowa at McElroy Auditorium in Waterloo September 30th at 7PM sponsored by The New 89.1 The Spirit. Tickets on sale NOW at 888-9000-891 or stop by their studios at 1450 Boyson Road (3 blocks West of I-380).
- The Spirit Family Skate Night Skate to your favorite positive hit music from 6:30 to 8:30 at Super Skate on Northland Avenue NE in Cedar Rapids on October 5th & November 2nd for only \$5.
- Youth ministry in Cedar Rapids. Prayers are being answered. The youth ministry at Hus Church has a unique opportunity to be a part of an outreach to the Kirkwood students beginning in August. Please continue to pray for this ministry as we continue to seek God's guidance on how this will develop. Please help us in discerning God's will by praying for this unique opportunity.
- **Team I-Themba** is coming Saturday Oct. 21st. Team i-Themba is a multi-cultural group of young performers sponsored by South Africa Youth for Christ, hosted by the Central States Region of YFC/USA.
- **♣ A Fall Youth Retreat** has been planned with several other youth groups in Cedar Rapids for October 27th 29th at Camp Wyoming. The cost for the weekend will be \$60.
- February 23-24, 2007: This is the date that we will again partner with Hope Lutheran for World Vision's 30-Hour Famine.

Questions? Want more information? Please call or email Terry. Check out our Blogs:

http://www.180yfl.blogspot.com/ http://hushsbiblestudy.blogspot.com/ http://marionhs.blogspot.com/ http://www.217GA.blogspot.com/ http://www.myspace.com/180yfl

Building Community by Connecting People

Small groups = life change

Saturday, September 16th 8:00 AM - 12:30 PM

This two session, half day conference is for small group leaders and anyone interested in small group leadership. The cost is just \$15 and covers both sessions and a Continental breakfast.

Session One is "The Case For Community: Why Small Groups Matter" and Session Two is "Small Group Leaders: God's Catalyst for Life Change.

Please talk to Judy McLaskey if you are interested in attending this conference or just want more information. This conference is endorsed by Serve The City and is sponsored by Cedar Hills Community Church, Cedar Hills Evangelical Free Church, New Covenant Bible Church, and St. Mark's Lutheran Church.

Spendable Prayer

A Workshop for the Spiritual Leaders of Congregations Saturday, September 30th 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM

Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1285 3rd Ave., Cedar Rapids

Presenter Dick Craft, Associate for Stewardship Education for the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), has created this workshop for congregational leaders to help them understand that spirituality is at the heart of stewardship.

Some of the topics that will be covered:

Giving is Praying; Stewardship is everything you do after you say "I believe"; Faith, Hope, and Hilarity; Is there a cure for Affluenza?; The Bible tells me so.

This workshop addresses issues at the very core of any congregation's life with God. Please see Judy McLaskey if you are interested in attending this workshop.

Tree-Ripened Colorado Peaches

Purchase these fresh, juicy peaches at the following <u>parking lot</u> locations:

Sam's Club, 2605 Blairs Ferry Road NE

Golf Headquarters, 1961 Blairs Ferry Road NE

Sears, Lindale Mall, In between Sears & Burger King on Collins Rd NE

True Value Vernon Village, 3501 Mount Vernon Road SW

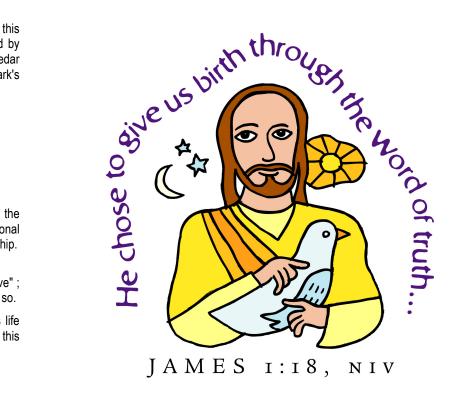
Firestone, 1919 Edgewood Road SW, Cedar Rapids

Marion Shopping Center, 3400 Seventh Avenue, Marion

Friday, August 25, 2006: 8:30 AM - 6:00 PM
Saturday, August 26, 2006: 8:30 AM - 6:00 PM (or until sold out)
\$24 per lug (approximately 18 lbs.)

Proceeds go to: Youth for Christ/Eastern Iowa





Worship Service – 9:30 AM, August 20, 2006

All Members, Ministers; Ruth Halterman, Organist; Rev. Will Jackson, Pastor; Lisa McAtee, Secretary; Doug Page, Worship Leader and Music Director; Terry Van Wyk, Youth and Family Life Minister.

THE HUS CHURCH PURPOSE

Inviting Seekers To Become Believers Equipping Believers To Become Disciples And Inspiring Disciples To Become Servants

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